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June 1, 2001

TO:

Minerals File

FROM:

Anthony Gallegos, Senior Reclamation Specialist All

RE:

Site Inspection, Ziegler Mining Company, Hardaway #1 Project, S/047/072, Uintah County,

Utah

Date of Inspection:

May 15, 2001

Time of Inspection:

0946 - 1017

Conditions:

Mostly cloudy, warm

Participants:

Will Stokes, SITLA; Tony Gallegos, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection:

To examine the site while in the area

This mine site is located immediately adjacent to the main access road. No one else was present at the site at the time of this inspection. Features at the site included wooden planks, wooden stull pieces, a section of metal pipe, two 55-gallon barrels, and a metal door leading into the side of the gilsonite vein. The metal door was closed, but not locked at this time. One of the 55-gallon drums contained trash and the other was an empty fuel drum. A GPS point was taken at the site under the name of s47-72. Photographs were taken to document the current status of the site.

The site disturbance was approximately 100 paces long and 40 paces wide. There was an additional small disturbance across the main road (south side). Other features at this site include a rough two-track road leading up the hillside to the top of the vein. The two-track road leads to an old trench excavation on the vein and two smaller trenches that also appear to be old disturbances. Partway up the hillside was an old pile of gilsonite

In conclusion, the site appears to be in a state of suspension, or final phase of cleanup after mining. The remaining trash and debris should be removed from the site, and the metal door secured during any extended suspension.

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cc:

Stan Wagner, Ziegler Will Stokes, SITLA

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